

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
DAWEI HUANG  
FENG QI

Serial No.: 10/090,371

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For: ERROR CORRECTION TRELLIS  
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Examiner: J. TORRES

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Customer No. 46290

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 7, 2006**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 7, 2006, for which the three-month date for response is October 7, 2006.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from **Williams, Morgan & Amerson's P.C. Deposit Account 50-0786/2100.003700.**

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.